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Coopers Plains, Qld, Australia

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2010, please consider the following:

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

- 1. The Applicant has carefully considered the official communication dated June 7, 2010 and the following remarks and arguments are made in response to that communication.
- 2. In paragraph 2 of the detailed action, the Examiner has rejected claims 1 to 3, 9 to 12, 14 and 15 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Williams.
- 3. In support of this, the Examiner has stated that "Williams discloses a method for sports training and testing of at least one athlete, said method comprising the steps of: initiating within a control unit (58) a predetermined protocol for training and testing ..."
- 4. The Examiner's attention is respectfully drawn to MPEP 2121, referring to Impax Labs. Inc. v. Aventis Pharm. Inc., 468 F.3d 1366, 1383, 81 USPQ2d 1001, 1013 in which it was held that prior art reference provides an enabling disclosure and thus anticipates a claimed invention if the reference describes the claimed invention in sufficient detail to enable a person of ordinary skill in the art to